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This colored man of Ohio held a convention at Columbus last week, and the following resolution was unanimously adopted, and deserving applause:

Resolved, That we, the colored citizens of Ohio, in convention assembled, feel that it is detrimental to the best interests of our race to be bound to any party, and we believe our welfare and progress, politically, educationally, and socially, would be best served by exercising our inalienable rights of suffrage, untrammelled by the ties of any party, and for such measures and principles as conscience dictates; that we do not detract one iota from the glory of the good deeds manifested towards us in the past by the Republican party; but we believe that as all men are born free and equal, the time has come when the new day and new duties demand of us that we in the future exercise our rights as citizens, without consideration of any former political affiliations.

## The Exposition at Louisville

Has been increasing steadily in interest ever since it opened, and the large attendance is going to last through to the end. It is a matter of impossibility for any writer to bring to your mind or even do half justice to the many and varied features of this great show. We would advise all those, where it is in their power possible, to go, for the Exposition must be seen to be appreciated to the fullest extent. Even days can be profitably spent among the many beautiful and really beautiful views everywhere, and to add more to its attractiveness, thousands upon thousands of brilliant electric lights are turned on to make them still more beautiful.

The flowers and music are of course instrumental to a great extent in securing the increased attendance. The flowers are exquisitely beautiful. Nothing more elaborate or gorgeous in the floral line was ever seen in the city before, and they are made exceptionally attractive by the artistic powers of the masters in charge. The people linger among these fragrant beauties and seem loth to leave when the closing hour comes. Of course music possesses the greatest power of attraction to many. But of all nights the Pyrotechnic display brings out the largest crowd, and really the best scenery, enough in the extensive building and grounds for the people to move about with comfort.

The Exposition building and grounds are chaste, elaborate and elegant in their design and ornamentation, and present a brilliant and delightfully suggestive appearance. The contrasting beauties of the various combinations used in its construction are very striking, and gives to the whole a very harmonious effect. The park is laid off and is charmingly and tastefully decorated with flowers of exquisite beauty and rare perfume. To us the best view of this immense show in all its magnitude was had yesterday. It was like some grand panorama passing before us, and we will suggest that it is impossible for the mind of man to comprehend what we saw yesterday. It was like some grand panorama passing before us, and we will suggest that it is impossible for the mind of man to comprehend what we saw yesterday. It was like some grand panorama passing before us, and we will suggest that it is impossible for the mind of man to comprehend what we saw yesterday.

## Work for the Legislature.

The elected popular branch of our Legislature is composed for the most part, of new men; men, fresh from the people, and popularly supposed to be conversant with the necessities and requirements of the times; men who ought to be in the foremost ranks of progress, free thinkers, whose sole aim it should be to conserve the best interests of their respective constituencies; ready and able to grasp the situation and with fearless hands to lift the old Commonwealth from the debris of servile absurdities to the broad plane of advanced ideas and material progress.

The work before these men is, perhaps, as onerous, and as necessary as any which their predecessors have had to do. It therefore behooves them as the representatives of the actual exponents of enlightened views and conservative, but progressive measures, to rise to the high standard of popular expectation and in their capacity of legislators to produce these results which the people have heretofore looked for in vain. This cannot be accomplished by being the mere echoes of party or faction, but by occupying at once, and boldly the position of statesmen, not infrequently, to the prejudice of the public will, left tenantsless.

That there should be many and wholesome changes made in the present general laws, and that new laws should be enacted is unquestioned. Among the amendments of the heretofore laws of the new representatives, the following are, at least, suggestive: First, That the criminal laws should be amended as to permit the defendant in criminal cases to testify in his own behalf. The defendant in civil cases is now permitted to do so, whether the amount in controversy is large or small. It is certainly a curious legal anomaly which regards a man's property as more sacred than his life or liberty.

That this condition of things exists, is of itself a convincing argument in favor of removing forever from the statute books those judicial parasites, and legal incubuses which have preyed upon, and weighted down the judicial system for ages, and which have been handed down from tribal and tribal from generation to generation, unchallenged, with cruel and pernicious stability. They are but the natural outgrowth of the mediocrity—the selfishness—the barbarism of feudal domination; the dictum of ignorant and tyrannical princes. A judicial system, un-American, almost un-Christian, utterly unsuited to republican institutions.

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## Murdered and Roasted Near Rockport.

A dispatch from Rockport, Ind., dated Oct. 3, says: A mysterious but foul murder occurred yesterday evening at Rockport, three miles above here, on a short-cut lying on the Butler farm. But very meagre accounts could be obtained. Yesterday the same boat was being a short distance above Grandview, Ind., and the occupants, two men were out in the woods hunting. They had with them one shotgun and two revolvers. Parties who saw them, describe one as a large, dark complexioned man, apparently forty years of age, wearing heavy dark whiskers; the other is a young smooth-faced man, about eighteen years of age. Shortly before dark the oldest was in Charles Lamar's store, in Grandview, buying powder. At dark they started down the river. Shortly after several shots were heard. The evidence as to the number is conflicting, some saying five others claiming to have heard as many as twelve. About the same time the boat was seen to be on fire. This morning the news reached here that a murder had been committed. Several started for the scene of the tragedy. Upon arriving at the place they found the boat aground turned to the water's edge, and on the boat a sickly sight was presented. The charred remains of a human being were seen. The lower extremities were burned to ash. The flesh on the face was gone, only by turning the body on its face a spot of flesh about the size of a hand was seen untouched. Many hairs were seen, which led to the conclusion that it was the eldest of the two who was so foully dealt with. On the skull two fractures were discovered, one apparently made by a hatchet, the other resembling a bullet hole. There was also about the boat a large yellow dog, which was found on the shore, and a skill, which together with the young man are missing. Whether the dog was murdered, and his body thrown in the river, or whether he was the murderer, time alone can tell. The owner told us no human body, the result of which has not been made public.

Since the above was set in type, we have received the Rockport Sentinel, which says:

A young man answering the description of the one on the boat, came to the depot about 2 o'clock Thursday morning, and asked the night watchman permission to sleep in the coach; this being refused, he remained about the building till train time and went to Evansville, thence to St. Louis. Mr. Hugh Hales left Sunday for this city, and telegraphed the sheriff yesterday that he had the young man under arrest.

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But a few days since death came into our midst and took away our esteemed old friend, Mrs. Nancy Ellison, formerly known by the name of Aunt Nancy. She was ready to go, as she had numbered her four score ten and four. Her funeral was presided by Dr. W. P. Bennett, and as he had known her from his boyhood, his words concerning her exemplary life were highly interesting, such as to soothe the sorrow of her bereaved kindred and friends.

On the 25th inst. Rev. John A. Bennett and Miss Jennie Nall, of Evansville, were happily united in the bonds of matrimony, at the house of the

## Centertown Gliders.

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Misses Edith:

We have had several fine rains and now the farmers are quite busy sowing wheat. Tobacco cutting is about through with.

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Misses Alex. Stagner and John Chinn had good luck at the Fair this fall.

Oh! I liked to have forgotten to tell you that Mr. W. A. Gordon had good luck with his chickens.

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Mr. C. F. Spuler and Miss Ida Austin, oldest daughter of D. J. Austin, Esq., of Law township, of this county, were married on the evening of the 13th inst. at Zion church, the Rev. W. H. Trim, officiating.

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PERSONALS.

Mr. Ed. Johnson, of McLean county, attended our fair last week.  
Freddie Griffin and Willie P. Maxwell left Monday for Louisville.  
Mr. Henry Amundt is quite sick at the residence of his son-in-law, L. H. Becker, Esq.  
Capt. Sam Hill's little daughter, Lizzie, is no longer at this writing, and her recovery is doubtful.  
R. H. Dally, representing one of the Tobacco Warehouses of Louisville, was in attendance at our fair.  
Mrs. Jackson Ford and Dr. Myron Gordon, of Masonville, were among the visitors at the fair last week.  
Mr. John Hetherington and wife, of Owensboro, attended the fair at this place last week, leaving for home Saturday.  
Hon. Jo H. Head, of Louisville, a prominent candidate for Speaker of the next House of Representatives of this State, attended our fair.  
Jesse H. Benton, of Indiana, a native of this county and a brother of our townsman, Joseph H. Benton, is visiting relatives in this county.  
Mr. R. C. Ashby called on Monday. He is engaged in peddling out door rams, in Webster county. Well, his teaching singing school.  
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Mr. Warren Griffin and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Griffin, of Louisville, accompanied by Mrs. Farish and daughter Florence, of Culpeper, Virginia, are visiting relatives here.  
Mrs. Ann Bennett, and daughter, Mary, left yesterday for McLean county, where they will spend about two weeks visiting the family of Ed. Johnson.  
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"H. H. Stevens, a son of "Red Dick," who has been a citizen of Texas, for near four years past, has been visiting his old home for a few weeks and left for home last Sunday evening. He honored us with a visit while here. He lives at Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto county, and is much pleased with his adopted home. He has shown his appreciation of the Texas girls by taking one of them as partner through life.  
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We were very agreeably surprised to meet Miss Katie Hamilton, of Elmo, West Virginia, at the fair last week. She is the daughter of our friend, Uncle "Billy" Hamilton, who left here several years ago. She has been back on a visit to relatives at McHenry for a few weeks past. It was a real genuine pleasure to meet her again and to learn from her of Uncle Billy and the family nestled down in the valley of New River amid the craggy mountains of West Virginia.  
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—Mrs. J. W. Stevens, living across the creek from here, is quite ill of typhoid fever.  
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—I dislike most hotels. The Hamilton, at Centertown, has not a clean room, and the beds are exactly uniform and the best.  
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Bills will be rendered to each purchaser, and the premium will be delivered December 1st. If more than one customer buys \$80 worth then the customer buying the largest amount will get the premium. I will offer during this time the Nicest, Best and Cheapest Goods ever sold in this market. Come and see the Bargains. Cash buyers only can compete for this premium. Don't let this opportunity slip. You will get goods lower than you buy them elsewhere and a chance for the premium besides. This is no humbug, but a genuine offer, and will be strictly complied with as set out herein. Respectfully,  
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PERSONALS.

Mr. Ed. Johnson, of McLean county, attended our fair last week.  
Freddie Griffin and Willie P. Maxwell left Monday for Louisville.  
Mr. Henry Amundt is quite sick at the residence of his son-in-law, L. H. Becker, Esq.  
Capt. Sam Hill's little daughter, Lizzie, is no longer at this writing, and her recovery is doubtful.  
R. H. Dally, representing one of the Tobacco Warehouses of Louisville, was in attendance at our fair.  
Mrs. Jackson Ford and Dr. Myron Gordon, of Masonville, were among the visitors at the fair last week.  
Mr. John Hetherington and wife, of Owensboro, attended the fair at this place last week, leaving for home Saturday.  
Hon. Jo H. Head, of Louisville, a prominent candidate for Speaker of the next House of Representatives of this State, attended our fair.  
Jesse H. Benton, of Indiana, a native of this county and a brother of our townsman, Joseph H. Benton, is visiting relatives in this county.  
Mr. R. C. Ashby called on Monday. He is engaged in peddling out door rams, in Webster county. Well, his teaching singing school.  
Mr. John J. Johnson, of Warren county, called on Monday. He was here at the fair last week and is at the Owensboro fair this week.  
Mr. Warren Griffin and daughter, Mrs. J. H. Griffin, of Louisville, accompanied by Mrs. Farish and daughter Florence, of Culpeper, Virginia, are visiting relatives here.  
Mrs. Ann Bennett, and daughter, Mary, left yesterday for McLean county, where they will spend about two weeks visiting the family of Ed. Johnson.  
Miss Annie Griffin returned last Wednesday from a three week's visit to relatives in Louisville, of course she visited the Exposition while there, and was well pleased with the display.  
Mr. A. Lee Howe, of Centertown, is engaged teaching school at Island, McLean county, Ky. Lee is a moral, sober, honest, intelligent young man and worthy of the confidence reposed in him by the people of Island.  
Col. R. P. Hare, of the Falls City Tobacco Warehouse, Louisville, Ky., came down last Wednesday and took in our fair. He is a genial, intelligent gentleman, and represents one of the best Tobacco Warehouses in the State.  
Mr. John C. Thomas, Mrs. H. E. Thomas and daughter, Mary, Mrs. J. H. Martin and daughter, Miss Ella, Mrs. Mary A. Thomas and grandson, Jimmie, left yesterday to attend the Owensboro fair. They will be the guests of Mrs. W. H. Owen.  
Dr. W. P. Westfield, of Rochester, attended our fair last week. The doctor is one of our best friends whom we had not seen for many long years until recently. He remembered us and complimented our work by subscribing for the HERALD for a year.  
Mr. Haden Webb, of the Pickett Tobacco Warehouse, Louisville, Ky., spent last week in our midst and visited our fair. Mr. Webb is an old reliable citizen, representing an old reliable firm and is well and favorably known here.  
Col. J. B. Nall, of the Farmers Home Journal, Louisville, Ky., took in a good part of our fair last week. Col. Nall is one of the most elegant gentlemen in Kentucky and publishes just such a paper as every farmer and stock raiser and dealer in the State should have.  
"H. H. Stevens, a son of "Red Dick," who has been a citizen of Texas, for near four years past, has been visiting his old home for a few weeks and left for home last Sunday evening. He honored us with a visit while here. He lives at Mineral Wells, Palo Pinto county, and is much pleased with his adopted home. He has shown his appreciation of the Texas girls by taking one of them as partner through life.  
Rev. J. S. McDaniel and family will leave us to-morrow for their new home, Wallonia, Trigg county, Ky. That is a good place, and while we regret to lose them from our midst, we congratulate them upon having been assigned to such a good work. May Heaven smile upon and prosper them, and Bro. McDaniel be successful in his new work as the wish of the HERALD and their numerous friends in this county.  
We were very agreeably surprised to meet Miss Katie Hamilton, of Elmo, West Virginia, at the fair last week. She is the daughter of our friend, Uncle "Billy" Hamilton, who left here several years ago. She has been back on a visit to relatives at McHenry for a few weeks past. It was a real genuine pleasure to meet her again and to learn from her of Uncle Billy and the family nestled down in the valley of New River amid the craggy mountains of West Virginia.  
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## Sandwiches.

Our happiness is but an unhappiness more or less consoled.

Thy glass will show thee how thy beauty wears thy dial how thy precious minutes waste, *Shant.*

'Tis the mind that makes the body rich.

The tempter or the tempted—who sins most?

The web of our life is of a mingled yarn, good and ill together.

There is no one article in the line of medicines that gives so large a return for the money as a good porous strengthening plaster, such as Carter's Smart Weel and Belladonna Backache Plasters.

Edison's electric light is a wonderful discovery, but not as wonderful as Hall's Catarrh Cure. Sold by Thomas & Kimbley.

Chief nourisher in life's feast.

The summer's flower is to the summer sweet, though to itself it only live and die, *Shant.*

Have more than thou showest; speak less than thou knowest.

A man cannot prosper till he gets his wife's love. A thrifty housewife is better than a great income. A good wife and health are man's best wealth—*Spartan.*

The follies which we so often see in others, are but the reflection of our own mind.

Mr. A. Nichols, of this place, says he suffered from catarrh for years. He purchased a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm of use. He is now almost cured, and he says that no one can recommend it too highly. We are selling more of Ely's Cream Balm than all other catarrh remedies—can hardly keep a supply on hand. Evers Bros., druggists, Independence, Iowa.

One of the most effective preventives against hair shedding, as common to some heads, as well as the very best remedy against excessive and dull accumulation, is a once or twice a week washing of the scalp with pure castile soap and rain or elster water, the temperature of a summer rain.

Wash early in the morning when first rising, then dry the head by brisk vigorous friction and you will not only escape any danger of catching cold, but you will have a soft, clean hair and a scalp as clean as a lovely woman's neck after a Sunday morning's bath.

—*Boston Green Gazette.*

Catarrh and Hay Fever. For twenty years I was a sufferer from catarrh of the head and throat in a very aggravated form, and during the summer with hay fever. I procured a bottle of Ely's Cream Balm and after a few applications needed decided benefit—was cured by one bottle. Have had no return of the complaint. Charlotte Park, or, Waverly, New York. Price 50 cents per bottle.

A man with a lie on his conscience is like a lion with a thorn in his foot. He knows not where to put his foot down.

Now is the time to treat catarrh of long standing. Ely's Cream Balm reaches obstinate cases, where all other remedies fail. It is not a liquid or snuff and is easily applied. Price 50c.

He had been waiting with his host's ugly daughter, and was in a corner re- pairing damages. Here he was repelled by his would-be papa-in-law. "She is the flower of my family, sir," said the latter. "So it seems," answered the young man. "Pity she comes off so, ain't it?" he continued, as he essayed another vigorous rub at the white spots on her coat sleeves.

Do not vent your heart upon your sleeve for any living being to peek at. A wife makes a great mistake when she is too lavish with her endearments. A little reticence in the conduct of his wife to a man's love like salt in his soup and sugar in his coffee; and the self-respecting dignity of a woman, which is neither odd nor hard, nor yet aggressive, but is only self-respecting and dignified, ranks in his mind higher than the servile fondness of a spaniel.

Husbands love to be loved but they hate to be hated, and a very demonstrative and profusely adoring wife clogs by excess, and repels by the very strain of monotony.

To Cure Heartburn.

A small piece of chalk put in a pitcher of water without imparting any taste to the same, will exercise a corrective effect upon the stomachs of those who are troubled with acidity or heartburn, as it is called.

Whipped Potatoes.

Whip boiled potatoes to a creamy lightness with a fork; beat in butter, milk, pepper and salt; at last, the frothy white of an egg. Toss irregularly upon a dish, and set in oven two minutes to reheat, but do not let it color.

Apple Float.

Boil and mash six apples; sweeten to taste, then beat with a silver fork or an egg beater until very light and smooth. Beat the whites of two eggs to a strong froth, and gradually beat in the apples. Flavor to taste with vanilla, lemon, nutmeg, or anything else preferred. Put in a glass bowl with rich boiled custard and put the float upon the top. The float and custard should both be very cold.

Chicken Fritters.

Cut cold roasted or boiled chicken in small pieces, and place in an earthen dish. Season well with salt, pepper and the juice of a fresh lemon. Let the meat stand one hour, then make a fritter batter and stir the pieces into it. Drop, by the spoonful, into boiling fat, and fry till a glass brown. Drain and serve immediately. Any kind of cold meat, if tender, can be used in this way.

## Hints About Water.

No water that has stood in open vessels during the night should be used for drinking or cooking. By exposure to the air it has lost its astringent, and has absorbed many of the dust germs floating in the apartment. If convenience requires water to be kept in vessels for several hours before use, it should be covered, unless the vessels are tight.

Whether it is practicable, all distributing reservoirs should be covered. Filtering adds to the purity of the water. Drinking water should never be taken from lakes or rivers on a low level. Surface water, or water in lakes, ponds or rivers, which receive the surface wash, should be avoided as much as possible. Do not drink much water at a time. More than two tumblers full should not be taken at a meal. Do not drink between meals unless to quench thirst, as excess of water weakens the gastric juice and overworks the kidneys. Excessive potations, whether of water or other fluids, relax the stomach, impair its secretions and paralyze its movements. By drinking a little at a time all injury is avoided.

Speaking of Looks.

The habit of remarking upon the looks of relatives and friends when we meet them, is a very uncomfortable one. It is not only contrary to good sense, but a due regard for politeness and the observance of good manners demand that it should not be indulged. It is bad enough in the family, where the questions and the searching glances are the expressions of kind feeling—more, indeed, the apparently anxious inquiries as to how you are feeling this morning are about as meaningless as the remark upon the temperature, but it is absolutely inopportune from any one but a dear friend who has not had the experience of going out for a walk, into a neighbor's house, and being greeted with the assertion that she must be ill. In many cases you are accused of not looking well, when in reality you may be in better health than usual. It is a great confession of weakness, but I have gone home from a walk, out of which the sunshine has been taken by some such thoughtless remark, and looked in the glass to see if I could discover signs of illness. Such remarks are not kind, and certainly produce anything but pleasant feelings. Would it not be well to do away with them forever?

Texas Tattle.

Fort Worth, Oct. 1, 1888.

I wish to say a few words in reply to Texas Jack, to correct a false impression he may have made. As well as I remember, he says that all the unfavorable accounts your correspondents have written of Texas were taken from their observation from the car windows. I have been living in Fort Worth, Texas, for eight months, have taken several trips through the country, have talked freely with persons from all parts of the State, especially the farmers, and they quite insinuatingly "if you depend upon the farm for a living, you are left." My friend Jack boasts of the enormous territory of Texas, and says it contains rich land enough to make five states as large as Kentucky, but does not tell you that it seldom rains enough on this rich land to wet a newspaper. I admit that we have some rich valley land lying along the creeks and rivers, but it is so sparsely that no one can live there any length of time and have good health; the strongest constitution soon gives way under the influence of the deadly miasma that arises along those muddy, filthy streams. Again, he says that the great advantage in Texas is that every one can own a home that wants to, but it is not worth owning, as it is destitute of timber and almost of water, and the soil is poor and sickly. Many parts, especially western Texas, are vast beds of sand hills, other portions of prairie as far as the eye can see are white as snow with rotten lime-stone. The water is so hard that the best soap will curdle in it and arise to the surface. The great mass of the people here are poor, and long for their homes and curse Texas. They say if they owned Texas and held it they would rent Texas and live in it. They would return to the old states in a twinkling, but the high price of living here prevents their getting away. It makes my heart ache to see hundreds of immigrants arriving daily seeking homes in Texas, only to be stricken down by heat and malarious atmosphere. The broken up families, the widows and orphans, will testify to the truthfulness of my statements. My wife and child, who were in good health when we landed here in January, 1888; now they are nothing but wrecks, and feed and live on quinine. ISAAC W. NELSON.

The Right Kind of a Husband.

Choose a man who has plenty to occupy his mind; and necessarily a great deal of money or real estate, but one whose mind is active, and who will be likely to find plenty to look after outside of the house and home. That woman is wise who chooses for her partner in life a man who desires to find his home a place of rest. It is a man with many interests, with engrossing occupations, with plenty of people to fight with, a struggle to maintain against the world, who is the really domestic man in the wife's sense, who enjoys home, who tends to make a friend of his wife, who relishes the life of the home circle, where nobody is above him and nobody unsympathetic with him, as if he were in a haven of ease and relaxation. The drawback of home life, its containing possibilities of insipidity, sameness, and consequent weariness is never present to such a man. He has no more tired of his wife and children than of his own happier moods. He is no more bored with home than with sleep. All the monotony and weariness of life he encounters outside. It is the pleasure-loving man, the merry companion, who requires constant excitement, that finds

## Whipping a Masher.

The story of a case of mistaken identity has come to light and as it may prove a warning to some lone-lens but thoughtless drummer, should be published. Several days ago a young lady, who possesses many charms of face, has proved herself to be a sensible girl as well, and who lives on Crane street, noticed that she repeatedly met on the street and was admired by a man who appeared to be in the habit of visiting her, and she was not without a feeling of annoyance, instead of a responsive chord. One day she received a note from "An Admirer," telling her the writer had been smitten by her heavenly beauty, perfectly true and accurate, and requesting an interview: "I will be on the walk in front of the City park this evening at half-past 7," he wrote, "and hope to be seen. In order that you may not be mistaken, when I see you coming, I will hit my hat and wipe my face with a white handkerchief."

The girl handed the letter to her mother, who determined to interview the masher. Selecting a dress which had been taken by some such thoughtless remark, and looked in the glass to see if I could discover signs of illness. Such remarks are not kind, and certainly produce anything but pleasant feelings. Would it not be well to do away with them forever?

At about the hour named in the note she passed along the walk in front of the park, and as she expected, a gentleman who was alone, and leaning against the fence, raised his hat and when the perspiration from his brow.

This was what the lady was waiting for, and without a word she produced from the folds of her dress a whip of the blacksnake variety, but lighter than the ones used on ordinary steers, and in another second the masher, divided head and tail, swished through the air and fell the last second with a stinging cut on the back. Again and again the plucky woman administered the blacksnake, until Bridge Police-men, who had arrived, attracted by the victim's cries. The man was so surprised that he hardly knew what to do, and put in his time in a vain endeavor to catch the lash with his head. Upon the arrival of the other men, explanation was demanded by him and given by the lady. The gentleman after hearing her story said he was perfectly innocent, had never written a note to a young lady since he married one several years ago, and that at the time the lady walked up to him he was indulging in thoughts of home, in Chicago, where a bright-eyed little woman and two ladies were awaiting his return. He had stopped there on the walk to await the coming of a friend who had stopped in a store in North Topeka, and have his sight about that time, and fully exonerated the unfortunate drummer.

The lady made ample apology and started home. As she turned she saw a man answering the description her daughter had given her of the masher, conversed with laughter and jangling away from the scene. The drummer went up to his hotel and remained there the rest of the evening.

The lady, upon being interviewed by a reporter at her home, said she was sorry she had whipped the wrong man, but guessed her daughter wouldn't be insulted again by the masher.

Don't Whine.

Don't be whining about not having a fair chance. Throw a sensible man out of a window he'll fall on his feet and ask the nearest way to work. The more you have to begin with the less you will have in the end. Money you earn yourself is much better than any you can get out of dead men's legs.

A good breakfast in the morning of life whets the appetite for a fast later on.

He who has tasted a sour apple will have more relish for a sweet one.

Your present want will make presently all the sweeter.

Eighteen-pence has set up many a peddler in business, and he has turned it over until he has kept his carriage.

As for the place you are east in, don't faint with that; you need not be a horse because you were born in a stable.

If a bull tossed a man of mettle sky-high he would drop down in a good place.

A hard working young man with his wits about him will make money while others do nothing but lose it.

As for a little trouble, who expects to find cherries without stones and roses without thorns? Idleness lies in bed sick of the mill-grinds, where industry finds health and wealth.

Who would wish to learn to learn? The dog in the kennel barks at fears there. Laziness never knows the river is dry, and never gets to market. Try swiming it and makes all the trouble.

"Can't do it" would not wait the bread set before him, but try. You made bread out of mud once—A. J. Parnum.

Baxter wrote near the end of his life: "I see that good men are not so good as I once thought they were, and I find that few are so bad as unscrupulous or censorious professors do imagine."

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